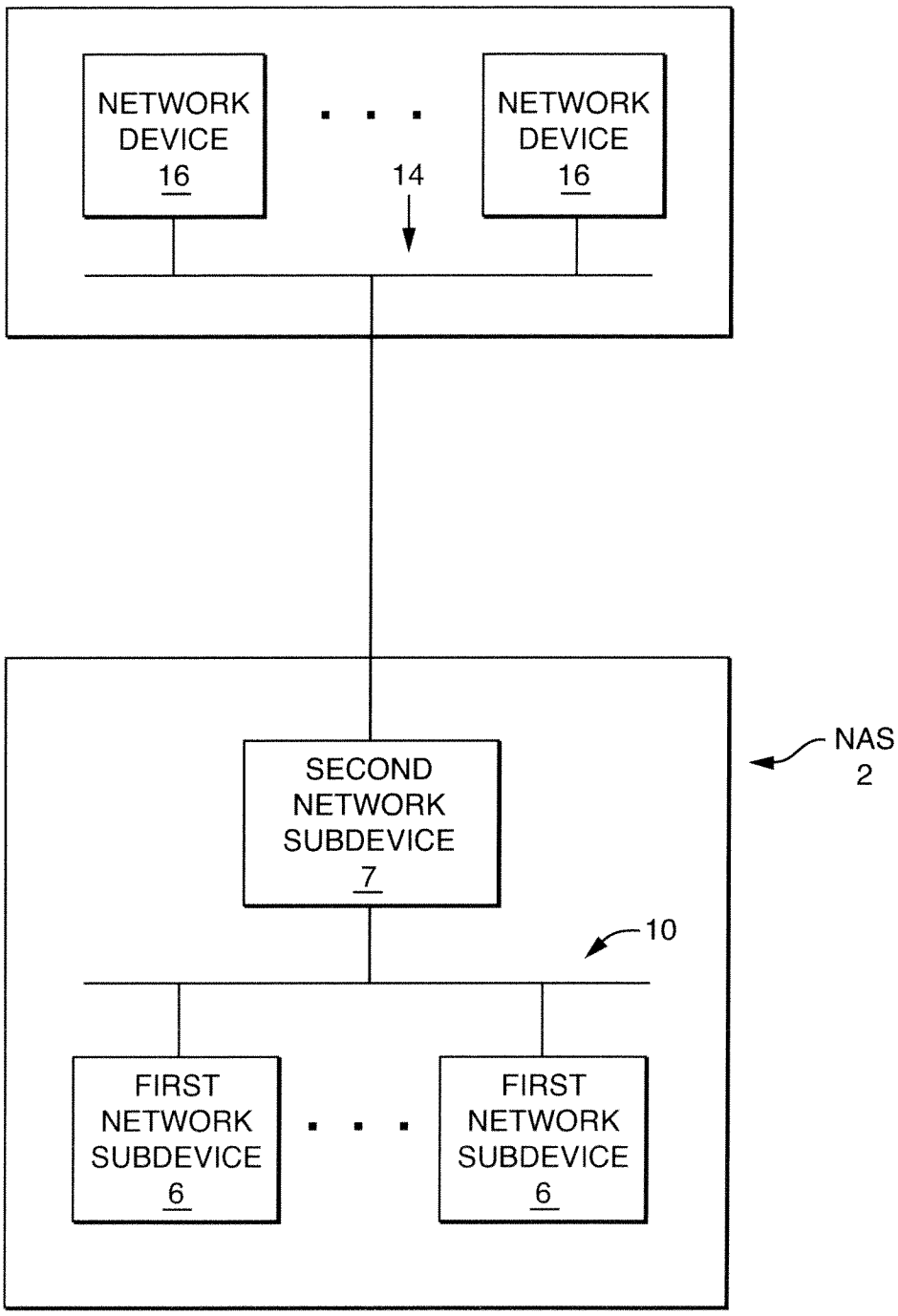
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NAS 2
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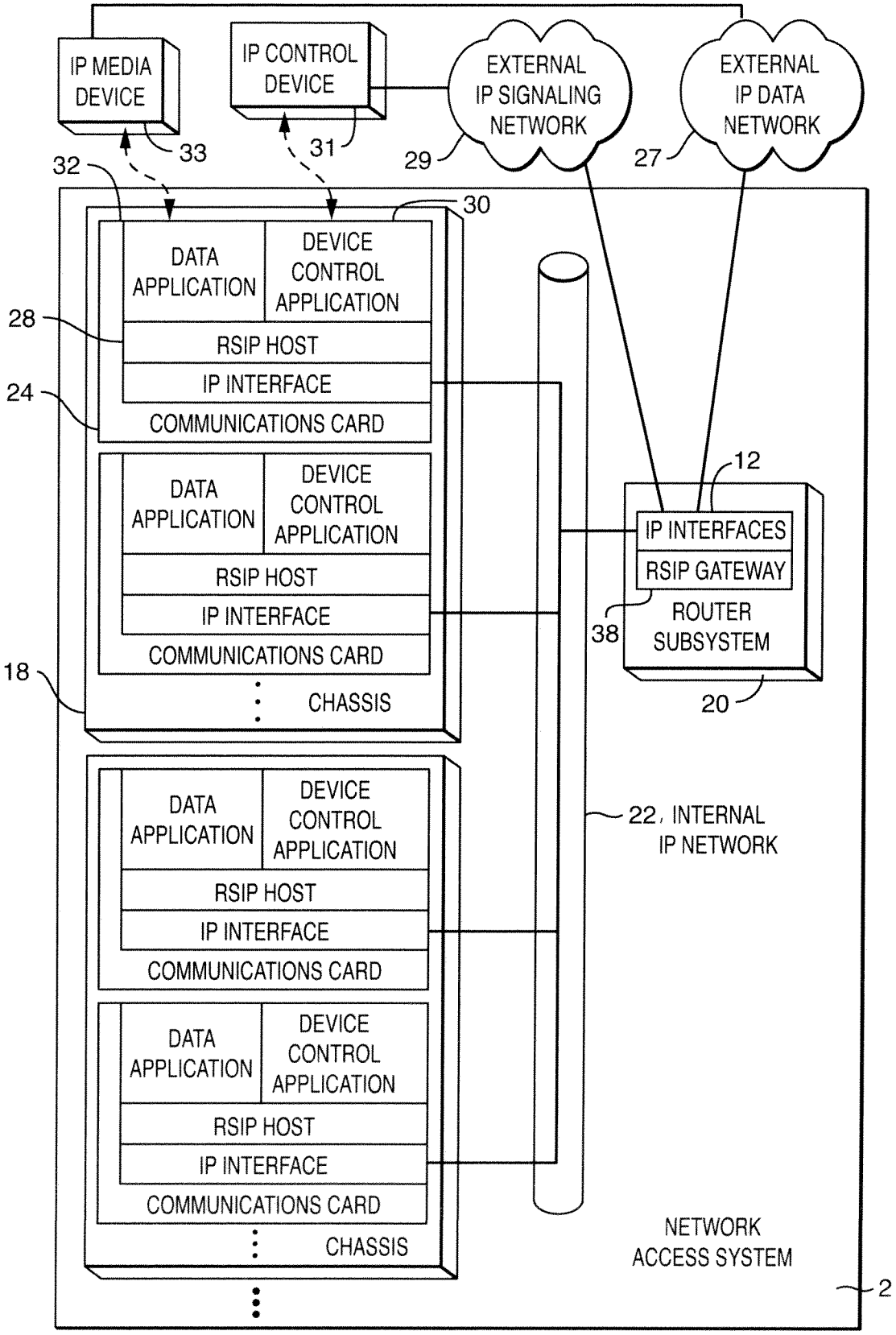
FIRST NETWORK SUBDEVICE 6
FIRST NETWORK SUBDEVICE 6

FIG. 1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EXTERNAL IP SIGNALING NETWORK
EXTERNAL IP DATA NETWORK
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DATA APPLICATION
DEVICE CONTROL APPLICATION
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RSIP HOST
IP INTERFACE
24
COMMUNICATIONS CARD
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RSIP GATEWAY
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NETWORK ACCESS SYSTEM
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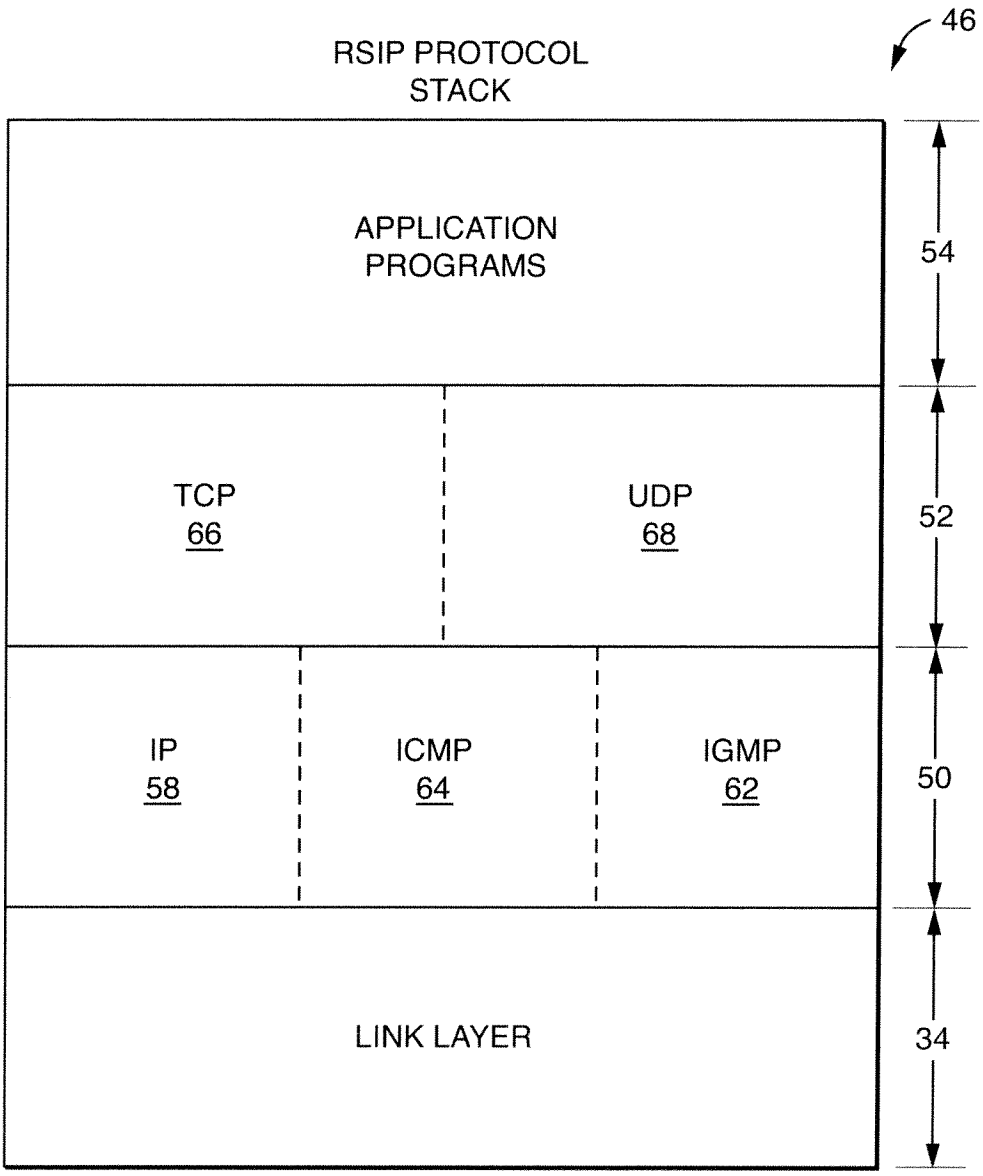
FIG. 2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APPLICATION PROGRAMS
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LINK LAYER
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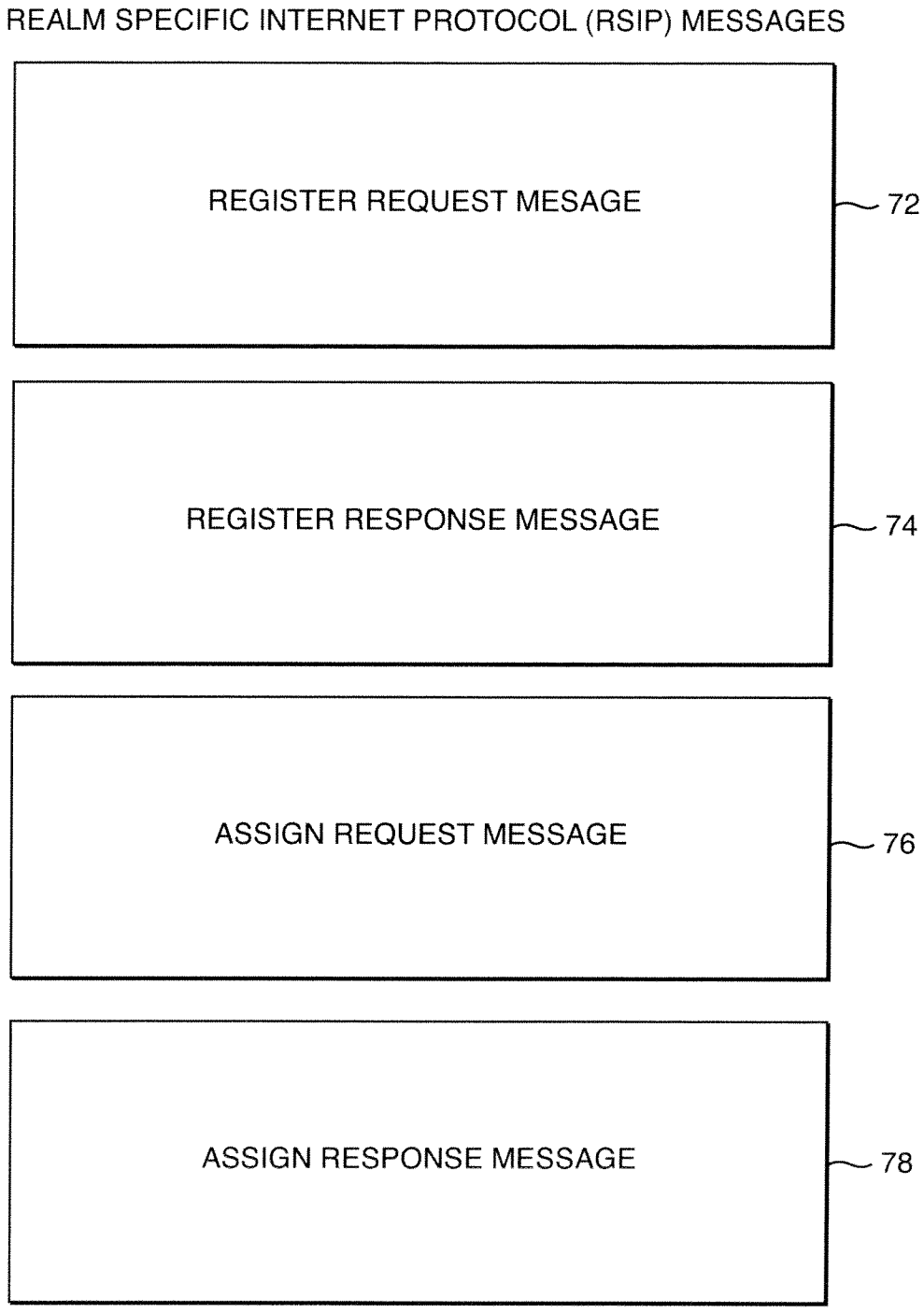
FIG. 3


REALM SPECIFIC INTERNET PROTOCOL (RSIP) MESSAGES
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REGISTER RESPONSE MESSAGE
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ASSIGN REQUEST MESSAGE
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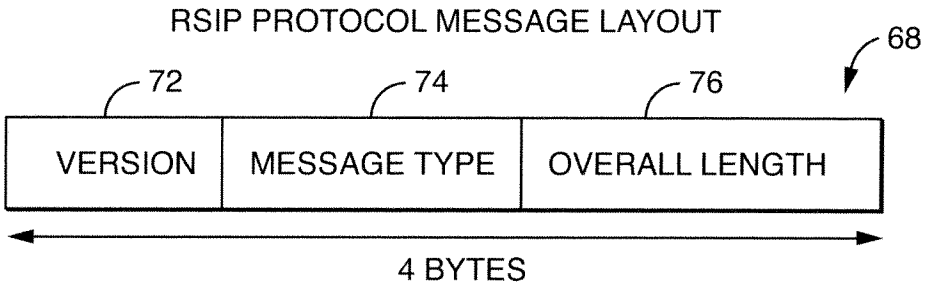
ASSIGN RESPONSE MESSAGE
78

FIG. 4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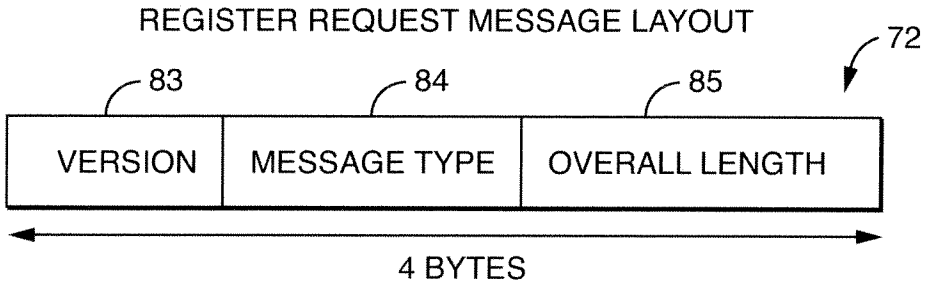
VERSION
MESSAGE TYPE
OVERALL LENGTH
4 BYTES

FIG. 5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VERSION
MESSAGE TYPE
OVERALL LENGTH
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FIG. 6

REGISTER RESPONSE MESSAGE LAYOUT

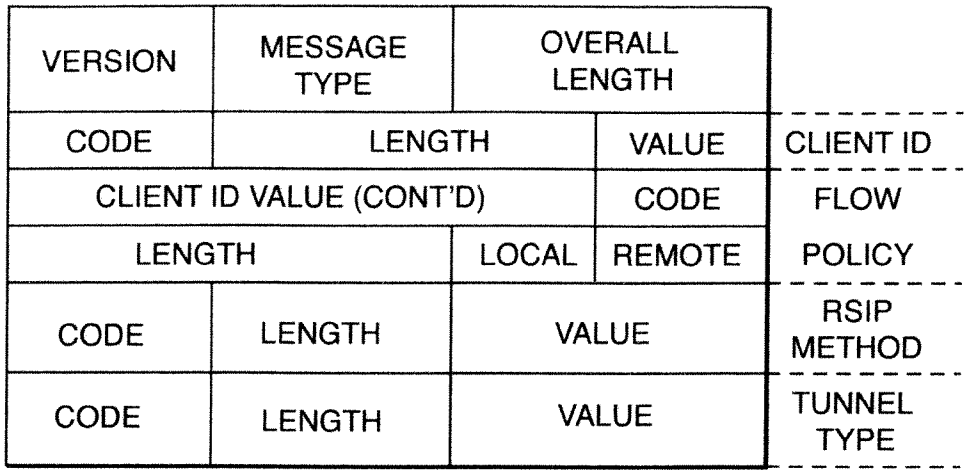


FIG. 7

ASSIGN REQUEST MESSAGE LAYOUT

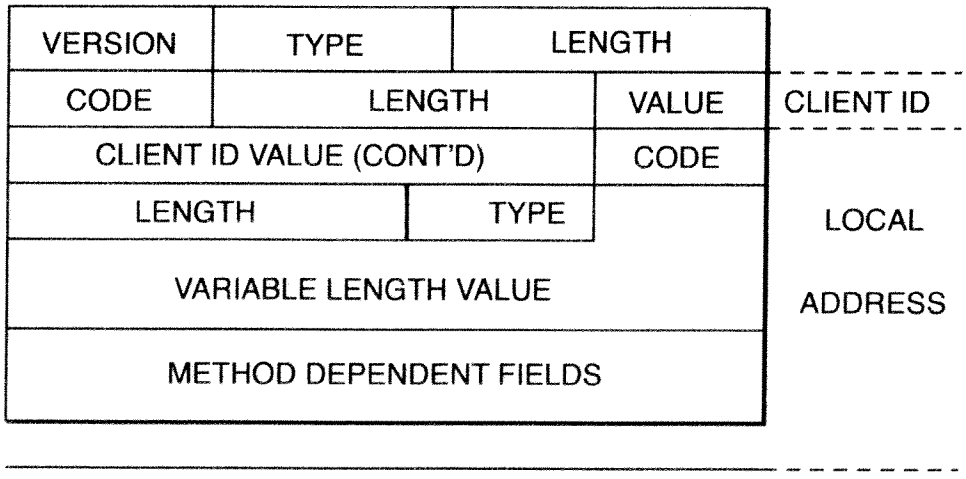


FIG. 8

RSA-IP ASSIGN REQUEST MESSAGE LAYOUT

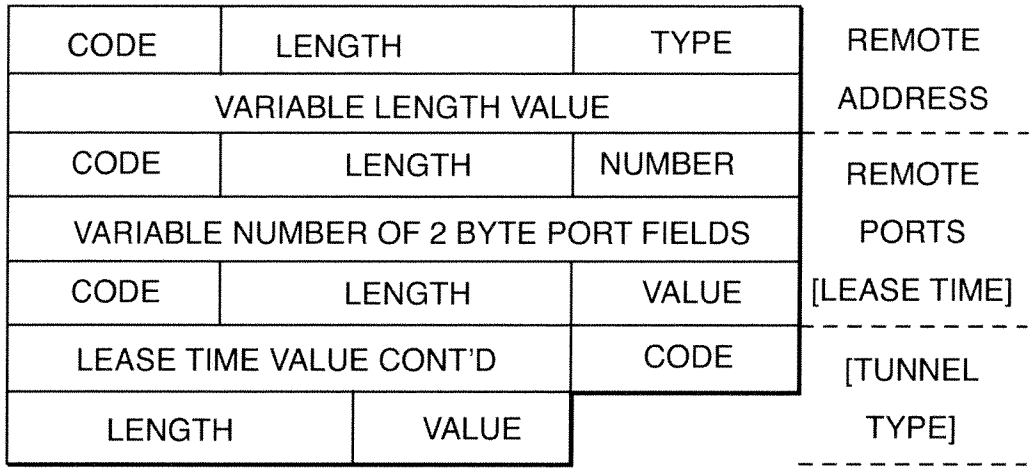


FIG. 9

RSAP-IP ASSIGN REQUEST MESSAGE LAYOUT

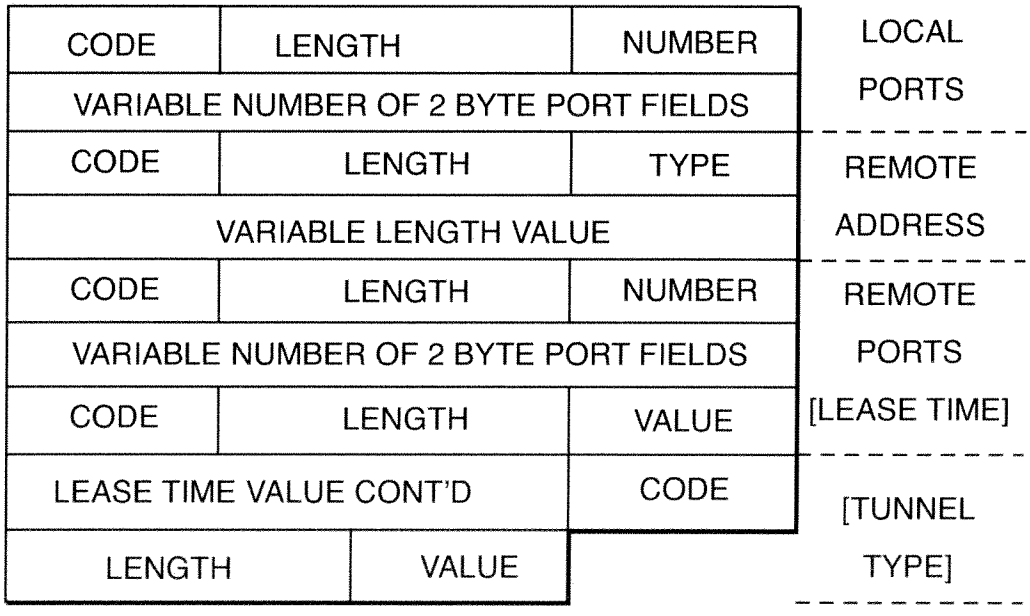


FIG. 10

ASSIGN RESPONSE MESSAGE LAYOUT

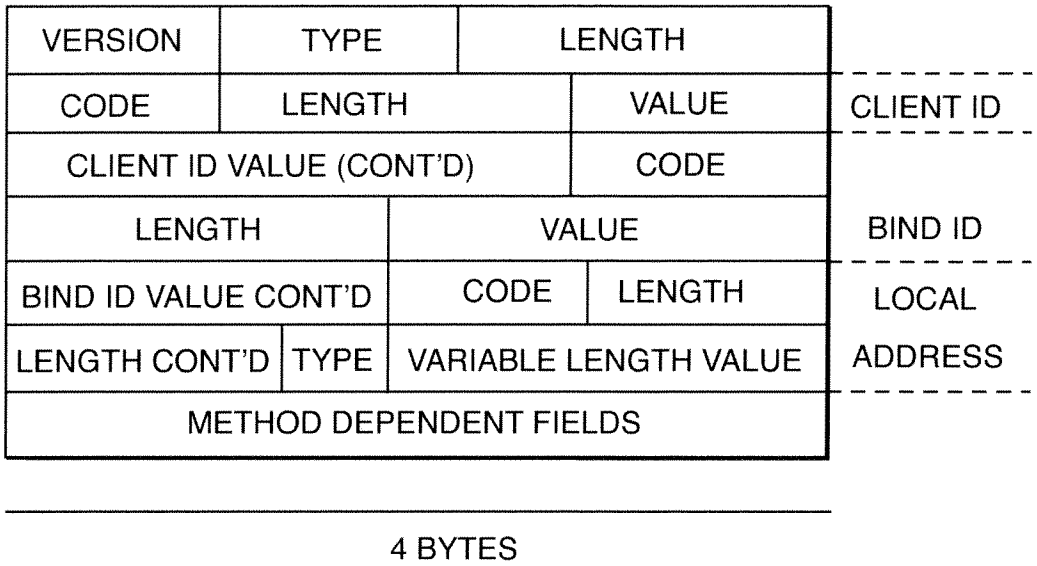


FIG. 11

RSA-IP ASSIGN RESPONSE MESSAGE LAYOUT

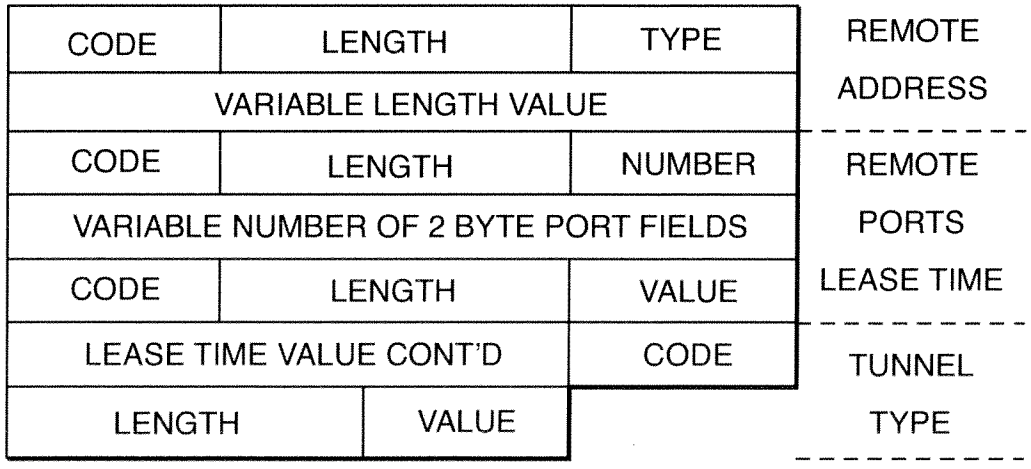


FIG. 12

RSAP-IP ASSIGN REQUEST MESSAGE LAYOUT

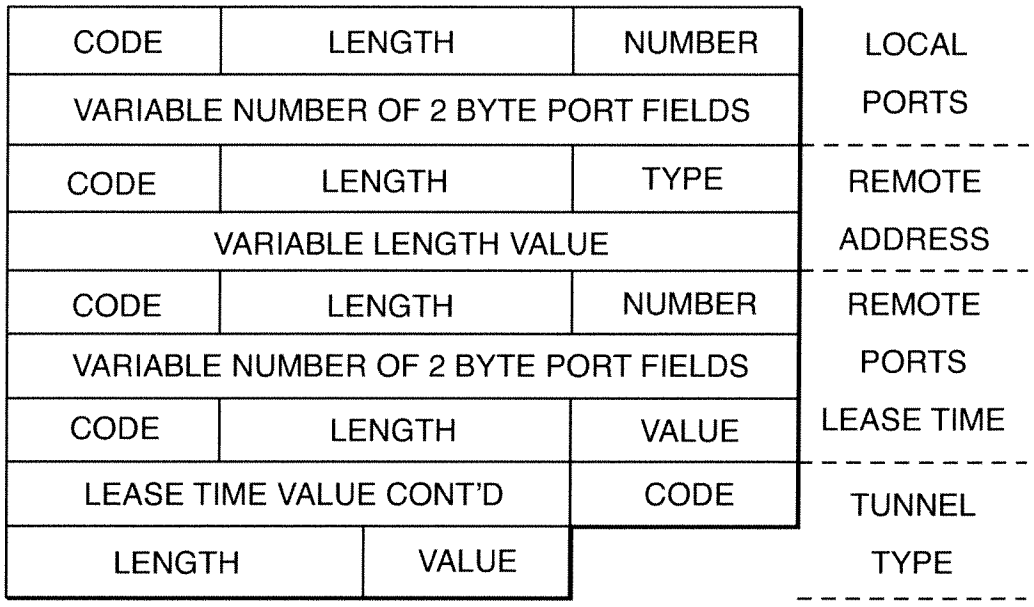


FIG. 13

112

44 COMBINATION NETWORK ADDRESS	42
EXTERNAL NETWORK ADDRESS (E.G., EXTERNAL IP ADDRESS)	LOCALLY UNIQUE PORT
198.10.20.30	1032

FIG. 14

122

126	128	130
INTERNAL NETWORK ADDRESS	LOWEST PORT	NUMBER OF PORTS
10.0.0.1	1026	32
10.0.0.3	1057	16

PORT-TO-INTERNAL-NETWORK ADDRESS TABLE

FIG. 15

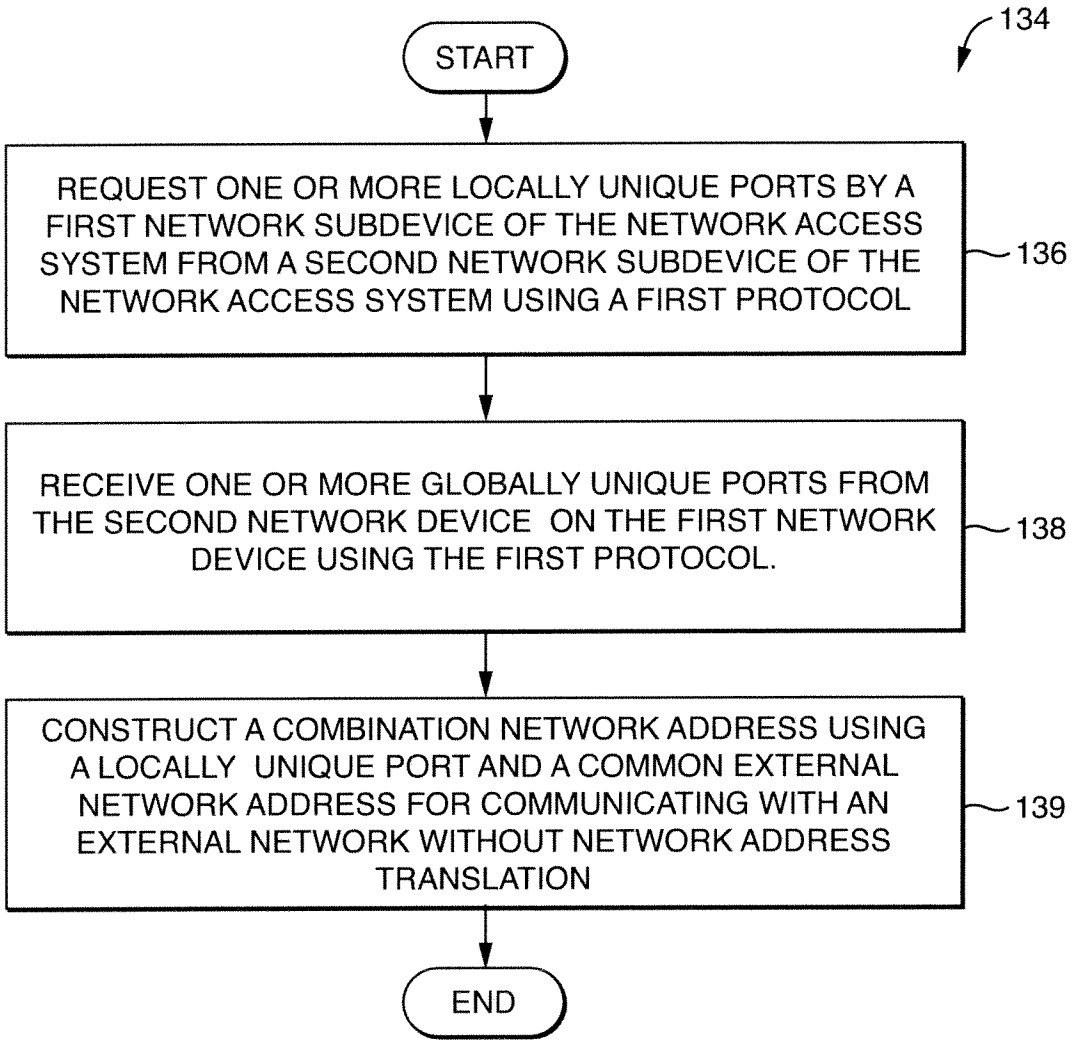
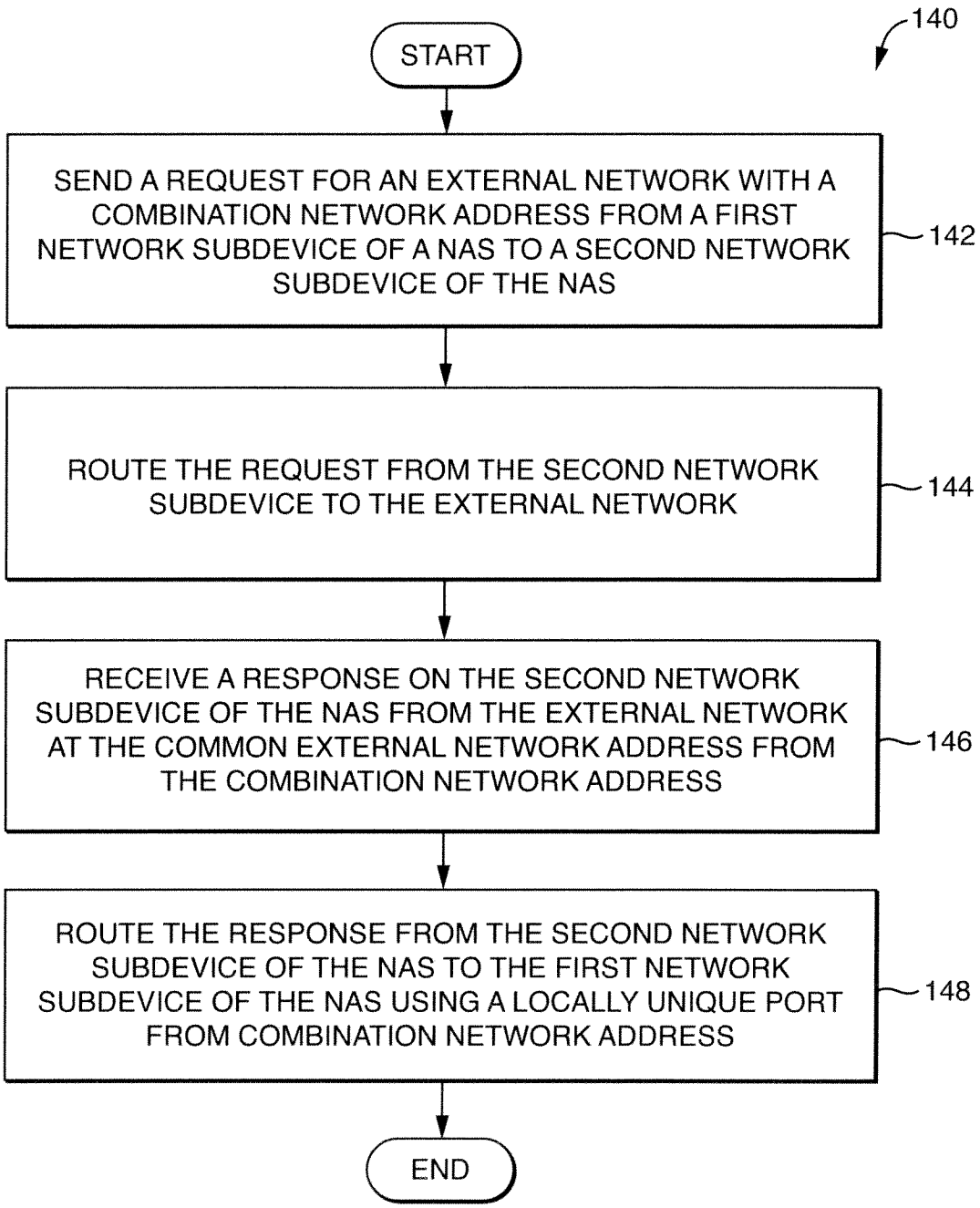

134
START
REQUEST ONE OR MORE LOCALLY UNIQUE PORTS BY A FIRST NETWORK SUBDEVICE OF THE NETWORK ACCESS SYSTEM FROM A SECOND NETWORK SUBDEVICE OF THE NETWORK ACCESS SYSTEM USING A FIRST PROTOCOL
136
RECEIVE ONE OR MORE GLOBALLY UNIQUE PORTS FROM THE SECOND NETWORK DEVICE ON THE FIRST NETWORK DEVICE USING THE FIRST PROTOCOL.
138
CONSTRUCT A COMBINATION NETWORK ADDRESS USING A LOCALLY UNIQUE PORT AND A COMMON EXTERNAL NETWORK ADDRESS FOR COMMUNICATING WITH AN EXTERNAL NETWORK WITHOUT NETWORK ADDRESS TRANSLATION
139
END

FIG. 16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START
SEND A REQUEST FOR AN EXTERNAL NETWORK WITH A COMBINATION NETWORK ADDRESS FROM A FIRST NETWORK SUBDEVICE OF A NAS TO A SECOND NETWORK SUBDEVICE OF THE NAS
142
ROUTE THE REQUEST FROM THE SECOND NETWORK SUBDEVICE TO THE EXTERNAL NETWORK
144
RECEIVE A RESPONSE ON THE SECOND NETWORK SUBDEVICE OF THE NAS FROM THE EXTERNAL NETWORK AT THE COMMON EXTERNAL NETWORK ADDRESS FROM THE COMBINATION NETWORK ADDRESS
146
ROUTE THE RESPONSE FROM THE SECOND NETWORK SUBDEVICE OF THE NAS TO THE FIRST NETWORK SUBDEVICE OF THE NAS USING A LOCALLY UNIQUE PORT FROM COMBINATION NETWORK ADDRESS
148
END

FIG. 17